State	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	Total
Mizoram	0.57	34.23	49.52	84.32
Nagaland	56.90	32.34	27.89	117.13
Orissa	310.13	196.62	206.91	713.66
Punjab	135.00	211.14	42.98	389.12
Rajasthan	1304.62	820.35	359.73	2484.70
Sikkim	11.22	—	—	11.22
Tamil Nadu	261.21	554.00	120.17	935.38
Tripura	4.73	27.00	61.32	93.05
Uttar Pradesh	943.27	537.23	728.37	2208.87
West Bengal	728.11	502.82	1937.06	3167.99
Chandigarh	41.37	20.00	57.86	119.23
Delhi	158.57	173.87	32.25	364.69
Pondicherry	—	18.24	—	18.24
Daman & Diu	—	—	—	—
Andaman & Nicobar	12.56	—	5.81	18.37
Dadra Nagar Haveli	—	—	—	—
Lakshadweep	4.32	—	3.21	7.53
TOTAL:	8952.62	6488.44	5928.10	21369.16

Conversion of KVS into a statutory body

229. SHRI JALALUDIN ANSARI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether, of late, there has been a demand for converting Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan into a Statutory Body; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI JAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD PATIL): (a) Centre for public interest litigation and Rashtriya Kendriva Vidyalaya Sangh have filed a writ petition in the High Court of Delhi wherein they have *inter alia* pleaded that the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan be brought within the frame work of a statute of Parliament.